

## LOCAL MENTION.

## AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

National—Aborn Opera Company in "Madam Butterfly," 8:15 p.m.  
 Columbia—The Columbia Players in "Sweet Lavender," 8:15 p.m.  
 Polli—Polli Players in "Little Miss Brown," 8:15 p.m.  
 Keith's—High-class vaudeville, 8:15 p.m.  
 Society—Ed. Lee Wrothe and the "Ginger Girls," 8:15 p.m.  
 Cosmos—Vaudeville and pictures, continuous show, 1 to 10:40 p.m.  
 Casino—Vaudeville and pictures, continuous show, 1:15 to 5, 6:30 to 10:30 p.m.  
 Garden—Feature motion pictures, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m.  
 Orpheum—Feature motion pictures, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m.  
 Crandall's—Feature films, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m.  
 Sixteenth and V streets northwest—The Greek peasant drama, "The Fire Rekindled," 8:15 p.m.  
 Reinhardt's Famous Ice Cream, 300 one-half gal. 235 G. N. W. Phone 2767.

## The Value of the Service.

In delivering Holmes' Homemade Milk Bread is particularly to be appreciated in this time of scarcity of foodstuffs. Holmes' Bakery, 107 P. St. Ph. M. 4377.

## Bird Baths.

J. H. Corning, 529 13th st. Phone Your Want Ad to The Star. Main 2440.

## LEMONADE.

It is a helpful, soothing drink, when flies are bad and days are hot; and whether it is white or pink it always seems to hit the spot. I drink it with the lovely dainties where drugstore clerks take in the kale; I drink it at the base ball games, at home I sip it by the glass. Of all soft drinks it is the best, as every learned physician knows; it always soothes my savage breast, and gives my warlike soul repose. It takes the fungus from my tongue, and kills the toadstools in my throat; and I feel brave and gay and young, when they're afloat in lemonade, my head is clear, my nerve is strong; I face my duties unafraid, and put up with the whole day long. And when the cool, gray morning breaks, I rise refreshed, so full of vim, and of aggressive strength so full, that when I've sung my morning hymn, I go out doors and whip a bull. WALT MASON.

## IS BACK FROM CUBA.

William S. Cruzan, Engraving Bureau Official, Visits Former Home. William S. Cruzan, a former resident here, now assistant superintendent of La Moderna Poesia of Havana, Cuba, is in the city on leave of absence. Mr. Cruzan, prior to his departure for Havana, was employed in the bureau of engraving and printing, and when the La Moderna Poesia secured the contract for the engraving and printing of the currency notes and revenue stamps for the island of Cuba, George Foster, also of this city, and Mr. Cruzan were recommended for the position of superintendent and assistant superintendent, respectively. In speaking of their establishment Mr. Cruzan said it was very much on the order of the bureau of engraving and printing of this city, but on a much smaller scale, and while they keep the plant running on full time, he thinks that it will be only a question of time before it will be enlarged, as an effort is being made to have all the engraving and printing of currency work for the Central and South American republics come from their establishment. Before returning to his post he will make a tour of inspection of the large plate printing plants of the northern cities. Mr. Cruzan is a former National Guardsman, having been connected with Company A, 24th Battalion—the old Corcoran Guards.

## JOHN HORGAN DEAD.

Had Been a Resident of Georgetown for Many Years. John Horgan, eighty-five years old, died yesterday at his home in Georgetown, 3901 O street northwest. Funeral services are to be held at Holy Trinity Church, Georgetown, tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Interment is to be in Holy-wood cemetery.

## RING WORTH \$300 DISAPPEARS.

Dr. Robert Wilds Complains to Police of Loss at the Ontario. Dr. Robert Wilds complained to the police of the loss of a cluster diamond ring valued at \$300. The ring disappeared from his apartment at the Ontario, he stated, but he was unable to say whether it was lost or stolen.

## Miss Essie Gadsden of North Kentworth.

complained to the police of the loss of her pocketbook containing several car tickets and a small sum of money. She stated that the pocketbook was taken from a stand at White House station yesterday afternoon.

## Burglars Made an Unsuccessful Attempt.

to enter the tailoring establishment of Charles G. Volk, 715 11th street northwest, early last night, according to a complaint made to the police. The attempt was made by cutting a hole through the wall of the adjoining house, the police were told. Two sample cases were found in this house.

## Stabbed in Arm During Fight.

J. A. Eward, eighteen years old, was treated at Casualty Hospital last night for a stab wound in his right arm. He told the police he received the wound while engaged in an altercation with an unidentified white man in Judiciary Square.

## Accused of Slashing Man's Throat.

Harrison Crew, a colored resident of Valley street northwest, was arrested this morning by Policeman Watts of the fifth precinct and charged with assaulting a man with a dangerous weapon. It is charged that he participated in a row with John Marshall, colored, in Gessford court southeast and that he cut Marshall's throat. The wounded man was taken to Casualty Hospital.

## MARKET STANDS SHOW ATTRACTIVE DISPLAYS.

## Supply of Good Things for the Table Is Excellent.

## Vegetables More Plentiful, Prices Correspondingly Low—Norfolk.

## Strawberries Here.

With vegetables becoming more plentiful and the prospect of a drop in prices from early spring's high figures, the markets of the city are now drawing buyers who throughout the winter and spring used the telephone to purchase their supplies from the nearest and best source of going to the markets and making personal selections of what they needed.

## This morning the supply of everything good in the food line was excellent, and the stands presented a most attractive appearance.

Those who know say there are but few cities in the country where markets at all compare with those of Washington in the variety of foodstuffs offered for sale.

## In the produce market string beans and new peas, which have been selling by the little box, are being quoted by the quarter peck for 15 cents.

Spinach is also cheaper and parsnips and Spanish onions have disappeared from the benches.

## Few Changes in Meat Prices.

Strawberries from the vicinity of Norfolk are also more plentiful and this morning they sold at 10 cents a box for a good small berry up to 25 cents a box for especially fine fruit.

In the meat market the changes in prices from those of last week are few, the cheaper grades of beefsteak having advanced to 22 cents a pound, and the corned beef dropped 2 cents a pound in the inferior grades.

While there are still in season, there was practically none on sale on the fish benches, and shrimp has also disappeared. Soft-shelled crabs are dropping in price and are selling at 10 cents to 11 per dozen, according to size.

Eggs, poultry and butter show no change in prices from those of last week.

## Quotations of Today.

Those who visit the markets tomorrow will find prices ranging about the same as today, as follows:

## EGGS.

Henney, 90c doz. Strictly fresh, 25c doz.

## POULTRY.

Chickens, 25c to 30c lb. Boasters, 15c to 20c lb.

Incubator chickens, 40c lb. Hens, 20c to 25c lb.

To 30c; capons, 20c to 25c lb. Ducks, 25c lb.

Geese, 22c lb. Keels, 15c pair.

## BUTTER.

Best creamery, 40c lb. Medium grades, 32c to 35c lb.

Repacked, 30c to 35c lb. Oils, 10c to 25c lb.

## MEATS.

Lamb, 20c to 35c lb. Pork chops, 20c to 25c lb.

Beef, 15c to 20c lb. Pork hams, 15c to 20c lb.

Beefsteak, 22c to 30c lb. Pork shoulders, 15c to 20c lb.

Beef stewing, 12c to 15c lb. Ham, 15c to 20c lb.

Veal, 25c to 35c lb. Smoked shoulder, 15c to 20c lb.

Calf liver, 50c lb. Corned beef, 10c to 15c lb.

Bacon, sliced, 25c lb. Corned ham, 15c to 20c lb.

Pork, roast, 22c to 25c lb. Canned ham, 15c to 20c lb.

## FISH.

Shad, roe, 90c to 1.00 lb. White perch, 15c to 20c lb.

Shad, backs, 40c to 50c lb. Rock bass, fresh, 25c lb.

Shad, heads, 10c to 15c lb. Rock bass, 15c to 20c lb.

Shad, tails, 10c to 15c lb. Rock bass, 15c to 20c lb.

Shad, bones, 10c to 15c lb. Rock bass, 15c to 20c lb.

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## MUSIC AND ADDRESSES

## AT MEMORIAL SERVICES

## Gen. Miles and Senator Vardaman

## Among the Speakers Listed for

## Sunday Afternoon.

The complete program for the annual memorial services to be held Sunday afternoon at the Government Hospital for the Insane, under the direction of Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, Spanish War Veterans, was made public this morning as follows: Selection by the committee on arrangements; prayer, Stephen S. Ball, chaplain of Miles Camp; music, band; address of welcome, Dr. William A. White, superintendent of the government hospital; Lincoln's Gettysburg address, Maj. E. B. Campbell, 509; "The Vacant Chair," Miss Bernice Knott, address, Senator James K. Vardaman of Mississippi; selection, band; address, Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., retired; solo, "The Rosary," Arthur Whitcomb; address, Department Commander Dr. J. C. Gleason, 1205; address, the Republic; address, Gen. H. M. Peter, Spanish War Veterans; recitation, "The Whistling Regiment," Miss Mabel Birch; "Star Spangled Banner," band; benediction, Stephen S. Ball, trumpeter; march, "The Star Spangled Banner," Arthur De Marco will be in charge of the music.

## On the morning of the 30th the 3,000 graves at the institution will be decorated.

The following names have been chosen to assist in this work: Miss Mary O'Leary, Miss Leslie Browning, Miss M. McGee, Miss J. K. Allen, Mrs. M. Dixon and Miss Florence Cowell.

## GEORGETOWN STUDENTS

## IN ORATORICAL CONTEST

## William Wirt Dixon Memorial

## Medal Winner Will Be Announced

## Commencement Day.

The William Wirt Dixon memorial medal oratorical contest for students of Georgetown College was held last night in Gaeton Hall before a large audience.

It was announced, for the contest, that the decision of the judges will be made at the commencement day exercises June 16.

The program opened with selections played by the Mandolin Club. The speakers and their themes were: Delphin V. White, "The March of the Future"; John J. O'Day, "The March of the Future"; Edward V. Hellsch, "The March of the Future"; Joseph H. Galt, "The March of the Future"; James D. Hishen gave, "The March of the Future"; "The Defeat of the Aurochs," and Rufus S. Lusk, "The March of the Future." The judges were John A. Nixon, S. J., George W. Williams, J. K. Allen, S. J., Royola College, Baltimore, and J. J. O'Connor, A. B. 2.

The contest committee was composed of William C. Martens, chairman; Hugh T. Carter, J. D.; Edward I. Devlin, J. D.; Edward W. Barrett, J. D.; and Eldridge, J. D.; Edmund E. Barrett, J. D.; and William Butler, J. D.

## \$1.00 to Frederick and Hagerstown

and return, Baltimore and Ohio from Union Station, Sunday, May 24. Returning same day—Advertisement.

## HE FLEES FROM SHERIFF.

## Maryland Man Takes 'French Leave,'

## Handcuffs on Wrist.

With a pair of steel handcuffs dangling from his right wrist, Arnot Lankeweller, who was facing a term of one year in the Maryland house of correction at Jessups for failure to provide for his family, disappeared from the station while in custody of Sheriff Mills of Western Port, Allegany county, Md.

Sheriff Mills, it is stated, is more than sixty years old, while the fugitive is only about twenty-five. Lankeweller had given no intimation of a desire to escape punishment, the police were told, and the sheriff was trying to make the journey as comfortable as possible for him.

Sheriff and prisoner were in the station waiting to board train to make the last lap of their journey from Western Port to Jessups when suddenly it dawned upon Lankeweller that freedom was much better than imprisonment and he fled.

Sheriff Mills furnished the police with a description of the prisoner and said that efforts be made to apprehend him.

## Norfolk and Western Railway.

Handsomely illustrated booklet, giving places of interest along this scenic route, free. All information, 1119 N. Y. ave.—Advertisement.

## LAWRENCE HOUSTON HURT.

## In Hospital as Result of Motor Cycle

## Collision With Street Car.

Lawrence Houston, residing at 644 E street southeast and employed as a clerk in a market store on 14th street north, was seriously injured this morning as a result of a collision between his motor cycle and a street car at East Capitol and 4th streets. Several ribs on his left side were broken, and it is feared he was injured internally.

The accident happened a few minutes before 6 o'clock. Houston was riding north and his motor cycle was struck by an eastbound car. The young man, it is stated, was dragged some distance along the tracks and his motor cycle was demolished.

Dr. Henry W. Jaeger was leaving his home nearby when the accident occurred. He took charge of the injured man, hurried him to Casualty Hospital and performed an operation.

The patient regained consciousness shortly after he reached the hospital, and although his condition is serious, it is stated, his recovery is expected.

## Roland Wallace's Newstand, 928 9th

st., is a Star want ad branch. The penny-a-day household wants are forwarded to the Star for your convenience. Rent Rooms, Help, Situations Wanted, Lost and Found and For Sale Miscellaneous are all cent-a-word-a-day ads.

## TAKES OVER RIVER PIER.

## District Now Controls Property at

## Bedford Upper End of Harbor.

The pier at the foot of 11th street southwest known as the White Oak pier and used as a landing place for lumber by the Elm City Lumber Company has been taken possession of by the District authorities and is now under the control of the District superintendent of markets.

It is proposed to erect at this point the new heating and power plant to supply the White House, Treasury, War, State and Navy buildings and other public buildings on the western side of the city, but until it is needed this pier will be used as a public wharf for lumber, wood and other cargoes, and Market Master Noyes, in charge of the 11th street wharf, will also have the 14th street wharf in charge.

The property just taken in possession by the District is situated on the railroad bridge over the tidal basin outlet to Carter's wharf, at the foot of 14th street, at the extreme western end of the harbor.

## TELL OF WAR-TIME DAYS IN THE CAPITAL

## Historical Society Relate Lincoln Anecdotes.

## James A. Sample, cashier of the United States Treasury, and J. B. Kinneer, a

## former mayor of Takoma Park, Md., de-

## scribed addresses Wednesday night be-

## fore the Takoma Park Historical Society,

## in the lecture room of the Takoma Park branch of the Washington Public Library.

Mr. Sample spoke on "Personal Recollections of Abraham Lincoln" and Mr. Kinneer on the "Founding of Takoma Park, Md."

Mr. Sample related incidents in connection with the civil war and the first time he saw Lincoln, which was at the Gurley Memorial Church. He told of how the President during war times spent evenings about the War Department, chatting with the telegraph operators engaged in sending and receiving messages from the front and rear of the army that he attended several of the White House receptions during Lincoln's administration. Through the courtesy of one of the officials at the White House C. M. Heaton, son of father of Charles M. Heaton, president of the Takoma Park Historical Society, obtained the use of the Lincoln gloves which Lincoln wore at the first reception he attended and for which he had expressed a desire. Mr. Sample said that he attended several of the White House receptions during Lincoln's administration. Through the courtesy of one of the officials at the White House C. M. Heaton, son of father of Charles M. Heaton, president of the Takoma Park Historical Society, obtained the use of the Lincoln gloves which Lincoln wore at the first reception he attended and for which he had expressed a desire. Mr. Sample said that he attended several of the White House receptions during Lincoln's administration. Through the courtesy of one of the officials at the White House C. M. Heaton, son of father of Charles M. Heaton, president of the Takoma Park Historical Society, obtained the use of the Lincoln gloves which Lincoln wore at the first reception he attended and for which he had expressed a desire. Mr. Sample said that he attended several of the White House receptions during Lincoln's administration. Through the courtesy of one of the officials at the White House C. M. Heaton, son of father of Charles M. Heaton, president of the Takoma Park Historical Society, obtained the use of the Lincoln gloves which Lincoln wore at the first reception he attended and for which he had expressed a desire. Mr. Sample said that he attended several of the White House receptions during Lincoln's administration. Through the courtesy of one of the officials at the White House C. M. Heaton, son of father of Charles M. Heaton, president of the Takoma Park Historical Society, obtained the use of the Lincoln gloves which Lincoln wore at the first reception he attended and for which he had expressed a desire. Mr. Sample said that he attended several of the White House receptions during Lincoln's administration. Through the courtesy of one of the officials at the White House C. M. Heaton, son of father of Charles M. Heaton, president of the Takoma Park Historical Society, obtained the use of the Lincoln gloves which Lincoln wore at the first reception he attended and